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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Social Welfare Department - Surprise check conducted by the Anti-Corruption Bureau on Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District - Certain Irregularities noticed - Departmental action initiated against Sri T.V.Narayana Rao, the then Hostel Welfare Officer (Administration), (Now Retired) - Charges framed - Inquiry conducted - Report received - Penalty of two percent (2%) cut in pension for a period of one (1) year - Imposed - Orders - Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No.56 Dated:04.03.2024

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, ACB, Rc.No.40/DES-EWG/2015, Dt.28.4.2015.
2. Govt. Memo. No.3605/SW.Vig.A1 /2015-1, Dt.18.08.2015
3. Procgs. Roc.No A1 /76/2015, Dt.20.06.2018 of the Collector & District Magistrate, West Godavari.
4. Written Statement of Defense of Sri T. V. Narayana, Rao, HWO (Admn.), Dt.04.07.2018.
5. Procgs.Rc.No. A1 /76/ 2015, Dt.03.10.2018 of the Collector & District Magistrate, West Godavari.
6. Procgs.Rc.No. A1 /76/ 2015, Dt.03.10.2018 of the Collector & District Magistrate, West Godavari.
7. Inquiry Report of Revenue Divisional Officer, Eluru, W.G. Dist./Inquiry Authority vide lr. Dt.21.08.2021 received through the DSW (Comp. No.1406878)
8. Govt. Memo. No.3605/SW.Vig.A1 /2015-1, Dt.09.10.2023.
9. Further Representation Dt.20.10.2020 of Sri.T.V.Narayana Rao, the then HWO, (Administration) (Now Retired) through the DSW.
10. Govt. Memo .No.1498081-3605/SW.Vig.A1/2015-6, Dt.09.10.2023.
11. From Sri T.V.Narayana Rao, HWO (Retd), Letter Dt.28.10.2023.

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ORDER:

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that the Anti-Corruption Bureau officials have conducted surprise check on Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District on 28.02.2015 and noticed certain irregularities. In the letter 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, has submitted surprise check report Dt.28.04.2015, duly recommending to initiate departmental action against Sri T.V. Narayana Rao, the then Hostel Welfare Officer (Administration), Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District.

2. Based on the said recommendations and instructions issued by the Government in the Memo 2nd read above, the District Collector, West Godavari District have initiated departmental action by framing Article of Charges against Sri T.V. Narayana Rao, the then Hostel Welfare Officer (Administration), Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District in the proceedings 3rd read above, and Sri T.V. Narayana Rao (Charged Officer) has submitted his explanation to the charges framed against him, in the Written Statement of Defense 4th read above.

3. In the Proceedings 5th read above, the District Collector, West Godavari District has appointed the Revenue Divisional Officer, Eluru as Enquiry Officer to conduct inquiry into the charges framed against the Charged Officer and appointed the Assistant Social Welfare Officer, Eluru as Presenting Officer to present the case before Inquiry Officer in the proceedings 6th read above.

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4. The Inquiring Authority has submitted inquiry report in the letter 7th read above through the Director of Social Welfare, wherein out of the five (5) charges framed against the Charged Officer, four (4) charges were held proved, and one (1) charge was held not proved, in the inquiry. In the Govt. Memo 8th read above, a copy of the inquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer, Sri T.V. Narayana Rao, the then HWO (Administration), Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District (Now Retired), for his further representation on the findings of the Inquiring Authority and Sri T.V. Narayana Rao, HWO (Retd.) has submitted his explanation in his further representation 9th read above.

5. After examining the inquiry report and material records of the case, Govt., have provisionally decided to impose the penalty of two percent (2%) cut in pension for a period of one (1) year against Sri T.V. Narayana Rao, HWO (Retd.). Accordingly, in the Govt. Memo 10th read above, he was issued Show Cause Notice calling for his explanation on the proposed punishment and in the Letter 11th read above, he has submitted his explanation and requested to drop the charges against him.

6. Government, after careful examination of the explanation submitted by Sri T.V.Narayana Rao, HWO (Retd.), have decided to confirm the penalty proposed against him in the Show Cause Notice and accordingly, hereby impose the penalty of two percent (2%) cut in pension for a period of one (1) year against Sri T.V.Narayana Rao, the then Hostel Welfare Officer (Administration), Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex, Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District (Now Retd.,).

7. The Director of Social Welfare, Andhra Pradesh, Tadepalli shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.HARSHAVARDHAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri T.V.Narayana Rao, the then HWO (Administration),
Integrated Social Welfare Boys Hostel Complex,
Kovvali, Denduluru Mandal,
West Godavari District (Now Retd.,)
(through the DSW, Tadepalli, Guntur District)
The Director of Social Welfare,
Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The District Collector,
West Godavari District (erstwhile).

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau,
NTR Admn. Bhavan, P.N. Bus Station,
Vijayawada, NTR District, A.P.
The Deputy Director (SW),
West Godavari District, Eluru.
The Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts,
A.P., Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,
A.P.V.C., Velagapudi.
SF/SCs.

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